

Crystal Salt Shapes

Supplies for activities needed:

- Lots of Salt
- Pipe Cleaners
- Mason Jars
- Water
- Pencils

Activity Name: Crystal Salt Shapes

- School Readiness Outcomes (SRO) goals met:
- Instructions
 1. Bend pipe cleaners into desired shape. Make sure to leave a long stem to each shape so you can suspend the shape into salt water
 2. In a pot, heat about two cups of water per each jar. I made three so I used about six cups.
 3. Make sure the water is boiling, then add salt after turning off the heat. Stir the salt until it will not dissolve anymore and there is a layer of salt on the bottom of the pot.
 4. Pour water and salt mixture into mason jars. Place all shapes into each mason jar. Make sure they do not touch the sides of the jar. Use a pencil to wrap the pipe cleaner around so it sits in the water.
 5. Set your jars in a safe place and let sit for at least two days. Watch as the crystals start to form day by day!



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